



California State Board of Education

Meeting Agenda Items for March 7-8, 2012

ITEM 2 ADDENDUM

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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State Board of Education Screening Committee Members

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March 6, 2012

TO: Members, State Board of Education

FROM: Chair Straus, and Members Cohn and Molina, Screening Committee of the State Board of Education

Re: Recommended Candidates for Appointment to the Instructional Quality Commission

The State Board of Education Screening Committee (Screening Committee) met on February 21, 2012, and March 6, 2012 to interview and select candidates for appointment to the Instructional Quality Commission (IQC). These candidates had been prescreened in two separate meetings of a Paper Screening Committee and represented the 30 most qualified candidates from the initial pool of 128. The Screening Committee is recommending the appointment of 13 candidates to the IQC.

I wish to thank all the individuals who made the effort to apply and would like to encourage them to continue offering their impressive skills and experience to local, regional, or other state activities.

The Screening Committee recommends the following teacher candidates for appointment by the State Board of Education to the IQC:

- **Kristyn Bennett**, Santa Paula Elementary School District, expertise in Reading and English Language Arts, for a term of 3 years.
- **Jose Dorado**, Los Angeles Unified School District, expertise English Language Arts and Mathematics, for a term of three years.
- **Angienette Estonina**, San Francisco Unified School District, expertise in English Language Arts and English Language Development, for a term of two years.

- **Lori Freiermuth**, Sweetwater Union High School District, expertise in Mathematics, for a term of two years.
- **Marlene Galvan**, Dinuba Unified School District, expertise in English Language Arts, for a term of two years.
- **Julie Spykerman**, Anaheim Union High School District, expertise in Mathematics and English Language Development, for a term of four years.
- **Lauryn Wild**, San Bernardino City Unified School District, expertise in English Language Arts, for a term of four years that begins January 1, 2013.

In addition to the teachers identified above, the Screening Committee recommends the following candidates for appointment by the State Board of Education to the IQC:

- **Angel Barrett**, Los Angeles Unified School District, expertise in Mathematics, English Language Arts, and English Language Development, for a term of three years.
- **Edward D'Souza**, Rialto Unified School District, expertise in Mathematics, for a term of three years.
- **Louis (Bill) Honig**, expertise in English Language Arts, Mathematics, and History-Social Science, for a term of two years.
- **JoAnn Isken**, Lennox School District, expertise in English Language Arts and English Language Development, for a term of four years.
- **Nancy McTygue**, California History-Social Science Project, University of California, Davis, expertise in History-Social Science, for a term of four years.
- **Socorro Shiels**, Morgan Hill Unified School District, expertise in English Language Development, for a term of four years.



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DATE: March 6, 2012

TO: MEMBERS, State Board of Education

FROM: TOM TORLAKSON, State Superintendent of Public Instruction

SUBJECT: Item 04– Reauthorization of the Statewide Pupil Assessment System:
Development of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction
Recommendations.

Summary of Key Issues

Assembly Bill (AB) 250 (Chapter 608, Statutes of 2011) amended California *Education Code* Section 60604.5 to require the State Superintendent of Public Instruction (SSPI) to develop recommendations, including a plan to transition to a new system, for the reauthorization of the statewide pupil assessment system. The law states, in developing these recommendations, the SSPI must consult with specific stakeholders. To that end, the California Department of Education (CDE) has developed a tentative list of advisory committee members comprised of these specific stakeholders. See Attachment 5 for a tentative list of advisory committee members.

Attachment(s)

Attachment 5: Tentative List of Advisory Committee Members (2 Pages)

TENTATIVE
List of Advisory Committee Members

Text of California *Education Code* Section 60604.5 (c):

(c) In developing the recommendations pursuant to this section,

The Superintendent shall consult with all of the following:

- (1) The state board.
- (2) The committee advising the Superintendent on the Academic Performance Index pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 52052.5.
- (3) Measurement experts from California's public and private universities.
- (4) Individuals with expertise in assessing pupils with disabilities and English learners.
- (5) Teachers, administrators, and governing board members, from California's local educational agencies.
- (6) Parents.

1. State Board of Education (SBE):

Michael Kirst, President, SBE

2. Public School Accountability Act (PSAA) Advisory Committee:

(TBD)

3. Measurement experts from California's public and private universities:

(TBD)

4. a) Individuals with expertise in assessing pupils with disabilities:

Frank Donovan, Director, Greater Anaheim Special Education Local Plan Area

4. b) Individuals with expertise in assessing English learners:

Norm Gold, Education Consultant, Norm Gold Associates, Sacramento, CA

5. a) Teachers:

Tara Nuth, English language arts, Fortuna High School, Arcata, CA

Patricia Sabo, Grade 8 Mathematics, Healdsburg Junior High School, Santa Rosa, CA

Barbara Schulman, Special Education Teacher, Saddleback Valley Unified School District (USD), Mission Viejo, CA

Blanca Anderson, Grade 4, Red Bluff Union Elementary School, Redding, CA

Jose L. Navarro, National Board Certified Teacher, 2009 Teacher of the Year, History/Social Science, Principal, Los Angeles USD

5. b) Administrators:

Linda Kaminski, Assistant Superintendent of Educational Services, Upland USD

Sally Bennett-Schmidt, Assessment Director, San Diego County Office of Education

5. c) Governing Board Members:

(TBD)

6. Parents:

(TBD)